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Title: Multimode Image Capturing and Decoding Optical Reader

### 1. Papers enclosed

#### A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:

54 Page(s) of Specification  
5 Page(s) of Claims  
1 Page(s) of Abstract  
14 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1a-10)

### 2. Additional Papers to Follow Under Separate Cover

A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney  
 An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to  
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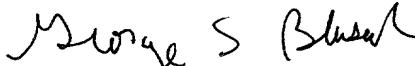
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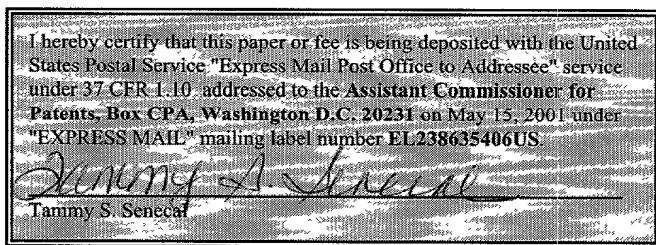
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2. It is requested that this application not be published under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).
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